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# Sub-Divisions Temporarily Halted Over Wide Area

The newly-appointed Industrial Development committee met Monday night to organize and plan its activities. Left to right are Harry Axelrod, William W. Rhoads, chairman; David Thompson, secretary, Robert Watters and King MacRury. At right is Elmer E. Young, field representative of the Massachusetts Department of Commerce, who offered assistance. (Look Photo)

## Lack Of Town Facilities Cited

**The planning board has banned all sub-divisions in a huge block of land bordering on No. Andover — including proposed developments off Elm st. — until the town's master plan is completed.**

That carefully-considered move came Monday night after the board saw preliminary plans of still another major development in that area.

**300 New Homes**

In all, plans are before the board for some 125 homes in that area. Developers have also verbally told the planning board of an additional 160 at the Flying

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## Plan Parties, Parades For Halloween Night

Andover youngsters will eat 6000 cookies the night of Oct. 31.

And lucky boys and girls will get a fist full of pennies while others eat a variety of "delicacies".

All this will go on at the annual parties for the youngsters Halloween night.

The Recreation committee and representatives of PTA groups and other organizations have planned fun and food for boys and girls in each section of town except Shawsheen. There, a vote was taken not to have a party as

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## New School For Vale

The school committee will ask the town meeting next March for a new school in Ballardvale.

Chairman Anna Greeley told a joint meeting of the planning board, school committee and members of the finance committee that the board will go ahead with plans for a school to replace the Bradlee school.

Members of the planning board agreed that the most important school need at the moment is replacement of the Bradlee with a building that will also take some of the children now being transported to Central school.

Another new school, it was generally agreed, will be needed in the Elm st. area, where the plan-

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## United Fund At $25,560 With More To Come

Andover has raised $25,560 so far in the United Fund drive.

Selectman Stafford A. Lindsay, chairman of the drive here, said that amount represents special and big gifts but does not include any of the schools nor the house-to-house canvass.

Other big and special gifts still are expected, he pointed out.

The house-to-house solicitation,

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### VOTE PROMPT ADDITION TO SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL

**The four-room addition to the Shawsheen school will be built.**

**The school committee Tuesday night voted to add the four rooms, with a representative of Perley F. Gilbert associates promising to have preliminary plans ready in three weeks and final plans within two months. Bids, he said, could be requested before the end of the year. Work on the addition should be complete by next September, it was indicated.**


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## Sewer Assessment In Ballardvale Set

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Thus, persons with 70 feet frontage would pay about $226.80.

The board of public works expects the bills to be sent within three weeks, after final checking and the signatures of board members have been affixed to three copies of the assessment.

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Despite torrential rains last Sunday, many members of the West Parish church visited several churches in the state, seeking ideas on architecture for the new West Parish addition. In the front are members of the building committee, left to right, Herbert Carter, Mrs. Elsie Dubocq, Walter Wilson, Arthur Peatman, Alex Henderson, the Rev. Hugh B. Penney and Leverett Putnam. About 30 church members made the trip. (Cole Photo)

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## WEST PARISH

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**Mens' Brotherhood**

The first fall meeting of the Mens' Brotherhood will be held tonight in the West church vestry. A roast beef dinner will be served at 6:30 followed by a business meeting in charge of Clyde Goldthwaite, president. William Maxant will be the speaker of the evening and his subject will be "Knife Making".

**Hobby Show**

A hobby show and tea under the direction of Mrs. Helen Dooley, will be held in the West church vestry Saturday, Oct. 22, starting at 1 o'clock.

**Workday for Christ**

The young people of the West church will hold a work day for Christ, Saturday, Oct. 22. Papers will be collected during the day.

**Teacher-Training**

A well attended Teacher-Training class was held in the West church vestry Monday evening. Mrs. Trescot Abele of Pepperell proved to be a most enlightening speaker.

**Entertains**

Mrs. William Titcomb of Chandler cir. entertained nine members of her class at Massachusetts Memorial hospital at her home recently. Mrs. Carlton White of Whitman was among the members present. She is the former Abbie Lewis of Lowell st.

**On Trip**

Robert Wright of Shawsheen rd. left recently by car for Oceanside, Cal., where he will visit with his sister. Enroute, he visited with friends in Mississippi and Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Wright and was graduated last June from Northeastern university.

**Youth Service**

Miss Barbara Williams was organist at the Andover Youth council meeting which was held last Sunday evening. Others who took part in the service were Hartwell Abbott, Jane Hall and Russell Lewis.

A Communion service was held in charge of the Rev. Hugh B. Penney and the Rev. E. Clayton Burgess. The following young people served as ushers: Lester Dixon, Jeffrey Hall, Robert Mehlhouse and Teddy Sutton. There were 120 young people present at this impressive service.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright have returned to their home on Shawsheen rd. after spending the summer months at East Bluehill, Me.

Lawrence Thomes and his mother, Mrs. Flora Thomes of Bailey rd., spent several days during the past week with relatives at Waterville, Bridgton and Harrison, Me.

Mrs. Hugh Penney of Lowell st. left Monday for New York city where she will meet her parents, who are returning from a six weeks European trip.

Dr. Philip S. Bretts of Cutler rd. is a medical patient at the Wyman House, Mt. Auburn hospital, Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman have returned to their home on Virginia rd. after spending two weeks in Glendale, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Cal., Mexico city and Las Vegas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kayworth of Chandler cir. attended the fall meeting of the Island Pond Yacht club held recently at the home of Dr. Henry Hartwell of Lawrence.

Mrs. William Jacques of High st. is a medical patient in the Massachusetts General hospital, Boston.

Ensign and Mrs. Richard Sullivan, U.S. Naval Airforce, have returned to Norfolk, Vir. after spending a few days at the home of Atty. and Mrs. Richard Sullivan, Virginia rd. Ensign Sullivan has just completed a weeks schooling at Quonset Point, R.I.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens of Lowell st. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank French, Eaton Center, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stork of Fairhaven, N.J., were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Holden, High Plain rd.

Robert Batcheller of Middletown, Conn., spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Batcheller of Lowell st.

Nicholas Mullick of Cutler rd. is attending Merrimack college. He is a graduate of Punchard high school and during the past year he attended Boston university.

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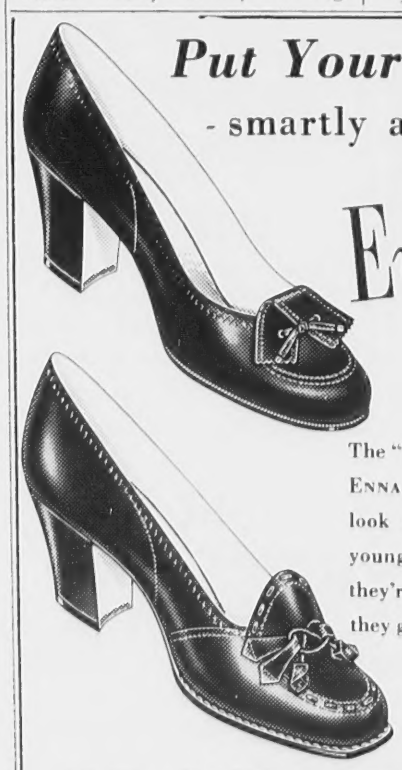

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# Miss Hodges Tells Of Travel

MISS MARY J. HODGES

Miss Mary Jane Hodges of Shawsheen has just completed a series of travel talks at the Memorial Hall Library.

The three meetings were based on pictures taken during her three trips to Europe and a recent tour around the world.

The library hopes to continue with a discussion group, whose primary interest will be travel, its philosophic and aesthetic aspects.

Miss Hodges has been associated with book and magazine publishing in New York for the past four years. The study of journalism and the fine arts have afforded her a dual role as interpreter of such interesting observations made during her travels. She hopes to be able to bring the mysteries of foreign countries to the American public in painting and story form.

As travel becomes more accessible and convenient to the public, Miss Hodges feels the mutual goodwill of tourist and native, founded on good manners, intelligent interest, and exchange of ideas, will do much towards forming one world.

It is her belief that the library discussion group may offer an opportunity for those who have traveled and those who hope to travel to share and impart their knowledge and experiences.

A student of Languages, Miss Hodges encourages the prospective traveler to master the fundamentals of at least one foreign tongue before attempting to take his trip. Even a basic familiarity with the native language will double the tourist's enjoyment of his visit, she explained.

After four years of study in the United States and two years in Italy, Miss Hodges is now specializing in portraits. Her style is "traditional laced with French impressionism". In the field of journalism, she has abandoned non-fiction for the greater freedom of the short story, where she combines "Baedecker and Freud."

Her next trip is scheduled for January, 1956, when she plans to visit Austria and the Netherlands.

## WILL RECOGNIZE U.N. 10Th ANNIVERSARY

A 10-year-old junior gardener will plant a tree on the grounds of the Central Elementary school Oct. 24 to celebrate United Nations day.

Mrs. Byron R. Cleveland, president of the Andover Garden club, will speak to the junior gardeners at 12:45 at the school, with the public invited to attend. The tree planting was suggested as a method of observing the 10th anniversary of the U.N.


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**Golden Age Circle**

The Golden Age circle met last Monday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Harry Nason of Andover st. Mrs. Nason had charge of the devotional. Mrs. Frances Benson recited a poem and Mrs. Myra Ward gave a reading.

The members voted to give two memorial hymnals to the Ballardvale United church. Plans were also made for the November sale.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Edna Laffin.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frances Cunningham on Center st. with Mrs. Ernest Rollins as hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Ernest Rollins, Mrs. Lucy Craig, Mrs. Harry Nason, Mrs. Ella Hanson, Mrs. Millie Hammond, Dr. Carrie Bacon, Mrs. Myra Ward, Mrs. Emma Moss, Mrs. Edna Laffin, Mrs. Eda Humphrey, and Mrs. Frances Benson.

**United Church Guild**

The United Church Guild will meet in the vestry tonight at 8 o'clock. Mrs. William Marruzzi will have charge of devotions. Mrs. Ralph Rosenblad will show colored slides on the American Indian.

Members are reminded to bring their silverware coupons.

**Bowling League**

The results of last Wednesdays Val-e-roll bowling were as follows: Jacks 3, Trumps 1; Aces 3, Kings 1; Queens 3, Jokers 1; Royals 3, Deuces 1. High Singles, Claire Cochrane, 101; Peg Townsend, 98. High triple, Claire Cochrane, 266; Peg Townsend, 265. High pinfall, Royals, 944.

Schedule for Oct. 26 is: Jokers vs Jacks, alleys 23-24; Kings vs Royals, alleys 27-28; Aces vs Deuces, alleys 21-22; Queens vs Trumps, alleys 25-26.

**Youth Fellowship Elects**

At a meeting of the Intermediate Youth fellowship of the Ballardvale United church, the following officers were elected: president, Gail Marruzzi; vice-president, Judy Webb; secretary, Lorna Marruzzi; treasurer, Ruth Perry; worship, Patricia Butler; social, Craig Warner. The officers will meet with the pastor on Friday afternoon at the parsonage to discuss and plan the coming program.

**Cub Scouts**

Cub Pack 76 will hold its first pack meeting Monday night, Oct. 24, in the Community room from 7-8. The charter for the pack will be presented.

Den 1 met at the home of Den Mother Mrs. Charles Walent of Marland st. Friday night. Further organizational plans were made and the theme of the month, "Beekeepers", was discussed. Those present were Charles and Robert Walent, Fred Froburg, George Bentley, John Smith, Hartley Crowe and David Goodwin.

Den 2 met at the home of Den Mother Mrs. Donald Dustin of Woburn st. on Tuesday afternoon with all members present. The boys worked on the theme of the month, "Beekeepers". Plans were made to make costumes for the skit to be given at the Pack meeting. Cubs present were William Batchelder, Harry Dustin, Allan Perry, Harland Moore, Charles Johnson and William O'Hara.

Den 5 met at the home of Den Mother Mrs. Henry Wrigley of Oak st. on Wednesday evening. At the outset of the meeting, the group sang "God Bless America". The theme of the month, "Beekeepers", was worked on. Those present were Carl Jacobson, Edward Smeltzer, Henry Wrigley Jr., Philip Froburg, Charles Murnane and Richard Steele.

**Recognition Service Held**

The annual Recognition Service of the Y-Teens was held last Thursday night in the YWCA auditorium. This brief but impressive service was the highlight of Roll Call week and tells the story of the YWCA and the part the teenage girls play in the whole association.

All the girls in the department took part in the impressive candle lighting ceremony and also the singing. Miss Marion Brown, dean of girls at Lawrence High school, and Mayor John J. Buckley were present and were made honorary members.

Refreshments were served to the parents and friends following the service.

Present from the Vale were Mrs. Leo Pimpare, advisor; Margaret Bouleau, Leigh Henderson, Prudy and Patricia Pimpare and Gail Goodwin.

**Memorial Hymnals**

The following hymnals were presented to the United church recently: Paul, Margaret, Janet and David Bouleau in loving memory of their mother, Anna E. Bouleau; M. E. M. in memory of the Parker Street Methodist church; Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll in memory of parents, brothers and sons; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mattheson in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mattheson in memory of Robert.

Memorial Hymnals presented to the United church last week were given by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Edwards in memory of Lewis Edwards and by the Golden Age circle in memory of the Methodist church and of loved ones.

**Reception and Shower Tendered**

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Henderson of Chester st. tendered a reception and miscellaneous shower for their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Henderson (Mrs. Henderson is the former

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## Storm Does Little Damage To Town

The three inches of rain dumped on Andover over last weekend caused little damage, Town Engineer Ralph Preble reported this week.

Some house cellars were wet and the usual flooding took place in the park and playstead. It was reported Monday morning that the football field was under water.

But the brook on Chestnut street was "about an inch" from spilling into the street and yards, according to the engineer. Another hour of rain might have made the situation highly damaging, he explained.

A few minor casualties of the storm were reported. One was an oil truck in a housing development on Brookfield st. Its front wheels were clear of the ground as its rear end settled into soft earth recently back-filled into a drainage trench. The constant rain had caused the ground to give way when something heavy tried to pass over.

Mr. Preble and assistant Donald Bassett spent much of the weekend and Monday making inspection trips through the town so that any threat of damage could be spotted at once.

**MISS COUTTS SEES FIRST SNOW OF SEASON**

Miss Bessie A. Coutts of the Andover Savings bank, returning through the Berkshires Sunday from the Fall conference of the Savings Banks Women's association held in Northampton, saw her first snowfall of the year.

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**Mrs. Kay Noyes, Correspondent, Telephone 2002**

**Shawsheen School Chapel**

The Shawsheen school held its first chapel program of the year the morning of Oct. 14, with the combined sixth grades performing. Miss Anne Harnedy, principal, and Mrs. William Durgin arranged the material for the morning show. The musical portion of the program was conducted by Mrs. Miriam McArdle, director of music in the Andover school system.

The program opened with the "Twenty-Third Psalm", followed by the "Lord's Prayer" and the children of all grades combined to sing "Father We Thank Thee".

**RAYMOND COLLINS**

Raymond Collins was the announcer for the program and introduced Veryl Dufton who recited a poem called "Johnny October". A piano solo by Thelma Watson was next on the program, followed by a medley of songs by the complete sixth grade chorus.

A word of advice was given to the audience in the poem recited by Nancy Baker after which the audience enjoyed "Whispering Hope", sung by Linda Watters and Thelma Watson. A piano selection appropriately entitled "Dorothy" was played by Dorothy Minzner, after which "Abou Ben Adhem" was recited by Joanne Bravacos. The program closed with the "Salute to the Flag" and the entire audience joined in singing "America".

The combined fifth grades will be the performers in the next program, which will be Oct. 28 at 9 a.m.

**Celebrates Birthday**

Richard Bravacos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bravacos of Canterbury st., has the honor of having his birthday on the same day as President Eisenhower.

Richard celebrated his ninth birthday in the form of a party at which he and his guests enjoyed a variety of games. The youngsters were further entertained by movies shown by Richard's father. A large birthday cake, sandwiches, tonic and ice cream were served by Mrs. Bravacos.

Those present at the party included Paul Seccareccio, Jimmy Brent, Andy Innes, Stephen Cutter, Anthony Sapienza, Joanne Bravacos, Jimmy Bravacos and the guest of honor's parents.

**Present Play**

For the past few weeks, rehearsals have been underway for the production of "Late Love", a three-act comedy by Rosemary Casey which will be presented on Nov. 11 and 12 at the Memorial Auditorium by the dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Women's club.

The play is under the capable direction of Mrs. William Edwards who has directed a number of very successful plays for the group.

The cast this year will include Mrs. Alice Neil, Mrs. Barbara Locke, Mrs. Ruth Lauder, Mrs. Helen Dooley, Albert Swenson, Philip Winters and Allen Chadwick.

**Birthday Party**

Paula Woodworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woodworth of Stirling st., was entertained Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 12, at a supper party held at her home in honor of her seventh birthday.

The young guests were entertained by a group of party games. A feature during the supper was the cutting of the birthday cake by the guest of honor.

Young ladies present at the party were Linda Kopatch, Jeanne Lowe, Sandy Mocadlo, Linda Schmidlin, Kathy Lauder, Kathy Cebula, Linda Caffray, Cris Hill, Wendy Morrissey, Cynthia Lewis, Pamela Howe, Alice Daly, Nancy Daly, Sherry Locke, Claire Prout, Dawn Woodworth and Jane Woodworth.

**Dramatic Club Meeting**

The dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will hold its initial meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. James Corey, 13 Beech cir. at 2:30 p.m. Friday. Hostess chairman for the day will be Mrs. Alfred Kayworth.

**Cub Scout Committee Meeting**

There will be a meeting of the Cub Scout committee Friday evening at 8 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barnes, 6 Carisbrooke st. Members of the program committee, den mothers and executive committee members have been asked to attend.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. James Baxter of Lowell st. and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baillie of Carlisle st. spent the weekend in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Carmichael of Poor st. are among the many local people who have left to spend the winter months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lane of William st. have returned home after a trip through the White Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cairns and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cairns of Corbett st. spent the weekend in St. Johns, N.B.

## Joyce Dunlop Is Elected Head Of Pilgrim Fellowship

Joyce Dunlop was elected president of the South church Phigrim Fellowship at a meeting Oct. 9.

Other officers elected by the group were Robert Colpitts, vice president; Sandra Macauley, secretary and David Daniels, treasurer.

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## HALT SUB-DIVISIONS IN WIDE AREA

*(Continued from Page One)*

Feather Farm and a few others.

Thus the board could easily see about 300 homes in the planning stage for an area described as lacking facilities to handle them.

**Services Over-Taxed Now**

Town Engineer Ralph Preble has told the board that sewer lines are now taxed to capacity – lacking any opportunity to take on the load proposed for them.

Water pressure in the Elm st. section is low, he warned, and would be decreased even more if the additional homes were built and sold.

Drainage would become an immediate problem, the board felt, with the development of areas where there could be terrific run-off once streets and driveways were hot-topped and the water no longer could find a place to seep into the ground.

**School Needs Cited**

School problems also would be raised, the board felt. They mentioned the possibility of each home having a minimum of two children – or 600 children coming into the town and requiring school facilities.

**Area Described**

Formal notice of the board's decision, in letter form, was sent to the Realty Construction company of Boston, John Phillips Enterprises and Clinton Goodwin. All three have sub-divisions in the area. Notice also went to the selectmen and town clerk.

The notice specified no sub-divisions in an area from the No. Andover town line west along Salem st. to Main st. Northerly along Main st. to Elm square and northeasterly via High st. to the No. Andover line.

"Until the Master Plan for the town of Andover is completed, which will provide for orderly development of this area, we feel that development of the density indicated by your plans cannot be handled by present town facilities. Drainage of surface water, sewerage and water supply are all inadequate" the notice read.

**Builders Concerned**

The Realty Construction company, whose project on the Flying Feather Farm would run to 160 homes according to a previous planning board meeting with the firm, also planned 66 homes through the Birchall Construction company.

John Phillips Enterprises, owned by Harry Axelrod, planned about 17 houses in an area behind Westwind rd. and connecting with the 66-home development of the Birchall firm.

Mr. Goodwin is the engineer for the Downing estate development, which would hold up to 30 or 40 houses.

The plans submitted to the board Monday night were for 66 house lots behind Westwind rd., between Elm and High streets.

The plans showed sewage in the development connecting with the town sewer on High st. Drainage would also connect to existing town drains and the water mains would be connected to those installed in the development by the firm.

No plan has yet been shown the board for the Flying Feather Farm, but it is known that some 160 homes were planned there.

Mr. Axelrod, whose 17-home development is separate from that of the Birchall firm, would connect to its sewer lines, it is reported.

The 66-home development proposed by the Birchall firm called for houses ranging from $17,000 to $22,000 with three, four or five bedrooms and houses in at least six different styles.

**Selectmen Agree Fully**

The decision of the planning board to stop all sub-divisions in the area temporarily was taken after full agreement of the selectmen.

**Might Cost $225,000**

Selectman Sidney P. White, also chairman of the board of public works, estimated that service improvements to carry the added load caused by all the proposed new homes in the area could run to $225,000.

Chairman J. Everett Collins told the Townsman that certainly something had to be done to let the town catch up with its self, so that new building will not completely overwhelm present facilities. He pointed out that the board of selectmen, in his opinion, could even instruct the building inspector to halt all permits in the town if that extreme measure became necessary. He believed, however, that the decision by the planning board in the present situation would be sufficient, giving the master plan an opportunity to recommend required changes.

Mr. Collins, fully supporting the planning board, pointed out that any estimate of costs for services in the area do not include new schools.

The area included within the black border – running down Salem st. to Main, along Main st. to Elm sq. and out High st. to the No. Andover line has been temporarily closed to sub-divisions by the planning board, because town facilities are not adequate to handle the many new homes proposed for the area. The planning board will keep the area closed for the sub-divisions until the master plan is ready about the first of the year.


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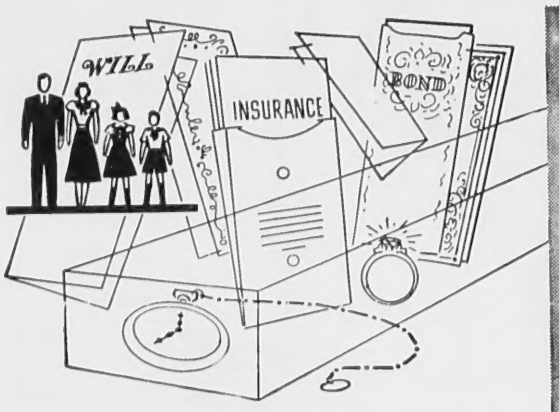


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# First Flax Mill Was Located Here

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By KAY NOYES

Industry and continuous industrial expansion has always played an important role in the economic growth of a town and it was here in Andover in the early 1800's that the first manufacture of flax was begun.

Although the history of flax dates back almost 10,000 years to the Stone age and was grown in this country as early as 1626, it was not until more than 200 years had gone by that the precious plant was first manufactured by two boyhood friends.

**Dreamed of New Mill**

John Dove and Peter Smith had, as boys, worked in the flax mill owned by John Dove's father back in their native Scotland and had long dreamed of starting a flax mill here. They managed to interest Peter's brother, John Smith, in their venture. John Smith already owned a mill privilege on the Shawsheen river as well as a machine shop in Frye Village. It was he who furnished the necessary capital for Mr. Dove to return to Scotland, where he obtained further knowledge of the flax industry.

The new mill built by Mr. Smith was made mainly from Frye Village bricks, as the land between the river, Burnham rd. and the railroad tracks was rich in a very fine quality of clay. At least 300,000 bricks a year were made in the kiln, which was located behind the present Motor Mart, about where Argyle st. is now.

**New Firm Begun**

With the completion of the new mill and the business know-how obtained by Mr. Dove, the three men became pioneers in the manufacturing industries of the country and in 1864 a joint company was formed under the name of the "Smith and Dove Manufacturing Co."

Their venture was successful. However, the business was moved to Abbot village — a section around the lower end of Essex st., near the river.

The mills in Frye village have long since been torn down and in their places have arisen other businesses of today.

**Location**

This picture would be the view from the stone terrace of the Sacred Heart school looking towards the Manor.

The administration building, which is what it was built for and not a school, was not of course built at this time. The dirt road in the foreground is the forerunner of our present Haverhill st. The mills to the left of the picture, near the 100 ft. tower, have been replaced by the Woodworth building, the Shawsheen Market and Riverina rd. The mill on the right has been replaced by the New England Milk Producers association and the little white blacksmith shop is now the site of the Hardy Brush Factory.

As can be noted in the picture, the river had not been channeled and walled in as is the condition at the present time, but was merely a wide marshy stream. The crude bridge has been replaced by a very picturesque stone arch, built by William Wood.

If one has very keen eye sight, the Smith mansion, which is today the Shawsheen Manor, might be seen just over the closed in bridge that connected the two mills.

**Forerunner of Laundry**

It was in this area between Hussey's pond and the river that the famous Andover Stocks were located. "The Stocks were Andover's early version of a wet-wash laundry". Any time after three o'clock on a Sunday afternoon, the roads would be well traveled with people from Andover and Lawrence pulling wagons filled with clothes and even carrying tubs of clothes on their shoulders, all on their way to the community out-door laundry. Washing was not allowed on the Sabbath but one minute after midnight the scrubbing began and continued through the night until Monday noon.

The changes that time has brought about create a vivid contrast in the present scene and that of over 100 years ago in Frye Village.

## Women Observe World Community Day Wednesday

United Church women of this community will observe World Community day next Wednesday at 10 a.m. in Christ church.

After listening to a speaker on "The Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations", the women will be served coffee by a Christ church committee headed by Mrs. Claxton Monro.

During the observance, preschool children may be left in the nursery where members of the Newcomers club will care for them.

Co-chairmen of the committee in general charge of the day are Mrs. Robert Hatton and Mrs. Richard Penick.

They have asked that men's and boy's clothing, clean and in good repair, be brought to the meeting as part of the Parcels For Peace program.

Mrs. Florence Watt and Mrs. Margaret Gunn of the Free church will be ushers at the affair. All Andover women have been invited.

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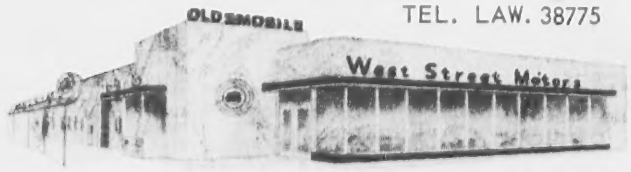


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Miss Caldwell is a gr Medford high school and Junior college, Newton, was graduated as a medic tary. Mr. Meek, an army of three years, is now in ior year at Crane Th school, Tufts university.

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# Engagements

MISS BARBARA STONE

**Self — Stone**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Stone, former Andover residents now of Lake Worth, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara, to Ben B. Self of Panama city, Fla., son of Mrs. George Kinard and the late Ben B. Self.

Miss Stone's grandparents are James Hovey of Elm st. and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stone of High st.

She attended Punchard high school and is studying at Florida State university.

Mr. Self also is a student at the University.

A summer wedding is planned.

**Potvin — Weir**

October 30, is the date selected by Miss Eleanor Weir, daughter of Mrs. Elias Weir of Everett st., Lawrence and the late Mr. Weir, for her marriage to Raymond Potvin, U.S. Marine Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Potvin of Webster st. The wedding will take place at 1:30 o'clock in St. Patrick's church, Lawrence, A reception in the Rendezvous, Methuen, will follow.

Miss Weir has been entertained at several pre-nuptial parties.

**Meek — Caldwell**

The engagement of Miss Dorothy May Caldwell to Alexander Meek Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Meek, 3 Moraine st., is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caldwell, 23 Fairmont st., Medford.

Miss Caldwell is a graduate of Medford high school and Mount Ida Junior college, Newton, where she was graduated as a medical secretary. Mr. Meek, an army veteran of three years, is now in his senior year at Crane Theological school, Tufts university.

MISS MARGARET A. WALLACE

**Reilly — Wallace**

A February wedding is planned by Miss Margaret A. Wallace whose engagement to Francis P. Reilly, son of Mrs. Bernard Reilly, 79 Haverhill st., and the late Bernard Reilly, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander M. Wallace of Lowell st.

Both are graduates of the Andover schools. Miss Wallace is employed by the Lawrence Electric company. Mr. Reilly is self-employed as a general contractor in Andover and is a member of the Andover Board of Public Works. He served with the Navy in the Pacific during World War II.

**ELECTED TO BOARD**

Edward I. Erickson, superintendent of schools, has been elected a director of the Andover Youth Center. He will fill the unexpired term of the late Roy E. Hardy.

# Goodwin Seeks $12,389 For Drainage Work

A bill for $12,389 was presented to the board of public works Oct. 13 by Engineer Clinton Goodwin.

That sum was the balance of $15,449 due the Haverhill engineer for Rogers brook and Shawsheen Heights drainage plans, studies and specifications.

Mr. Goodwin credited the town with payment of $3060 on the total.

The board decided to postpone payment of the bill until it receives a ruling from Town Counsel Vincent Stulgis on the legality of payment.

He rules some days ago that none of the money appropriated for drainage could be spent if the job could not be completed, as voted by town meeting.

That ruling brought to a halt efforts of the board to get at least some of the drainage work done. The question of whether the appropriated money could be used, in part, to pay the engineer for work accomplished prior to the special drainage town meeting will be answered by the town counsel.

He will also be asked to check on the board's contract with Mr. Goodwin to be certain that the items in the bill fall within the work directions contained in that document.

The bill contained items under preliminary drawings for both projects, survey of conditions for Rogers brook and Shawsheen Heights and contract plans and specifications on which bidders based their estimates.

**LT. TOMLINSON AT FORT MASON**

Second Lieutenant Walter C. Tomlinson Jr., son of Atty. and Mrs. Walter C. Tomlinson, 53 Cheever cir., recently completed the Transportation Officers' Basic course at Fort Eustis, Va. and is now stationed at Fort Mason, California. Lt. Tomlinson graduated from Bowdoin college in June.

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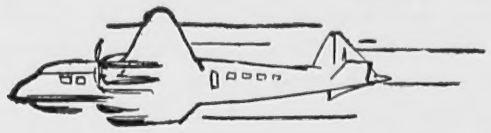

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# Celebrates Birthday

The Townsman began its 70th year last week.

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The Townsman has a proud history. Although it has appeared in several faces, dating back to that first edition in 1887, its primary place in the community has never changed.

The paper began as a means of telling Andover folks what was going on in their town – and that still is the primary function of the Townsman.

We will continue to expand our news coverage, giving you more information about the town as it, itself, continues to grow.

Features will take their rightful places in our pages – telling you about your town's history, unique hobbies and experiences and interesting developments in all sections of the community.

Our editorial policy, always one designed to promote the best interest of the town, will remain constant. We will try our level best to recommend those things in town government that appear good for the town and to disapprove those which may be of little value.

We will not hesitate to comment on current questions, fearing disagreement from any quarter.

For a good newspaper's responsibility lies not in fearing an honest divergance of opinion.

Rather, it is our duty, while keeping news and editorial comment completely separate, to make such recommendations and comments as are needed, regardless of every consideration but one: Is it good for the town?

Thus, as we begin our 70th year serving our town, we resolve to continue and expand our services – news, features, editorials – so that we may completely and fully perform the role of a true community newspaper.

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# Debate Town Right To Work On Private Land

A debate over town responsibility to private property and the legality of spending town money on private land went unresolved at the board of public works meeting Oct. 13.

The matter came up over the proposal to do some work on the lawn of Herbert Dawson, 11 Yale rd. A portion of the lawn and some shrubs were washed away during the hurricanes last fall.

Chairman Sidney P. White, reporting to the board, said two half-days had been spent dumping stones and fill into the washout at the end of the street. He said he recalled an earlier agreement to repair part of the lawn and replace a few shrubs washed out when the road went out.

**Henderson Opposed**

Secretary Alex Henderson asserted "It was an Act of God" and held that the town should not be responsible for work on private property. He was reminded by the chairman that the water that did the damage came from the town road.

Henderson explained that he feared there would be no end to the requests for town work if the board approved this measure.

"How can we legally do it?" he asked.

He also pointed to a similar problem at Bannister and Dascomb roads but Chairman White declared it to be a problem caused by the actions of a private property-owner and not the direct result of water from town roads doing damage.

**May Lead To More**

Member Allen M. Flye agreed with Mr. Henderson that approval of this work might "Lead into many petitions for similar things." He asked the board how it could say no to others if the Dawson work is done.

Member Leroy Wilson said he had not viewed the Dawson property and did not feel able to comment on the problem.

Member Francis Reilly told the board members that he would be against the proposal unless there has been an understanding that the work will be done.

Mr. White, explaining the amount of work involved, said it amounted to about $20 for loam and seed and possibly $10 for shrubs which could be taken from town property and transplanted there.

**WEDDING INTENTIONS**

The following wedding intentions have been filed in the office of the town clerk:

Byron R. Cleveland Jr., 63 Salem st., and Suzanne M. Collins, 32 Olive st., Methuen.

Ned Scarisbrick, Plattsburg Air Force Base, New York and Grace G. Goodell, 9 Abbot st.

Thomas P. McGowan, 49 Canal st., Winchester and Barbara A. Kenney, 16 Johnson rd.

James D. Calder, Chandler rd. and Jean R. Davis, 14 School st.

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# Down the Years with The Townsman

**50 Years Ago – October 1905**

George K. Dodge is a member of the jury which is sitting at the session of superior court in Lawrence.

The fair being sponsored by the Indian Ridge lodge, 136, Daughters of Rebekah, in town hall, opened Wednesday evening.

The following election officers to serve at the November elections were appointed by selectmen at their regular meeting Monday: C. Northy Marland, inspector; Martin McKeon, inspector; John S. Dearborn, deputy inspector; Henry W. Platt, deputy inspector.

The Ballardvale company installed electric lights in their plant this week. Foster Matthews did the wiring.

Thomas W. Platt has sold his restaurant and candy store on Main st. to a Newburyport party who will redecorate the store and open up about Nov. 1. It will be operated as an ice cream and light lunch counter.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson sailed for Rome this week via the steamer Republic. They will spend the winter there.

Driver John Haggerty was exceptionally prompt in arriving at a brush fire Monday evening shortly after 6, after box 26 had been sounded. A brush fire burned through to Mr. Williams' land in the Scotland district.

George Cashman has returned to Andover and gone to work for the American Express company.

Miss Pearl Nason has accepted a position as cashier for Dr. C. H. Shattuck at his pharmacy in Everett.

**25 Years Ago – October 1930**

Only 264 votes were cast in Andover in the special county primary for sheriff. The primary was made necessary by the death of Sheriff Arthur G. Wells. The election will be held in the November state elections between Frank E. Raymond and Matthew A. White.

Marcus A. Coolidge, Democratic candidate for United States Senate and Joseph B. Ely, Democratic candidate for Governor, will attend a huge rally in town hall Friday night.

The South church C. E. society will hold a hallowe'en social Tuesday evening, Irving J. Whitcomb is chairman of the event.

Final plans have been made for the annual fair of the Andover Fraternal Building association tonight and tomorrow night in the association's hall. The six organizations using the hall are cooperating to make the affair a success.

At the meeting of the Lions club last night in the Square and Compass club assembly hall, Frederick H. Jones reported that the major business of the activities committee will be toward cooperation with town agencies and the churches in helping to relieve the unemployment situation. His committee also will give time to a search for more industry that might be persuaded to come to town.

The annual harvest supper will be held in Free church vestry Wednesday evening, under the sponsorship of the Woman's alliance.

Cecil K. Bancroft was elected president at a recent meeting of the corporation of the Andover Home for Aged People.

New officers of the Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, 136, were installed Monday evening in Fraternal hall. Mrs. Millie B. Hammond was installed as Noble Grand.

**10 Years Ago – October 1945**

Two men, whose bid for collection of garbage has been accepted by the town, can't secure a bond. Until that situation is cleared up, it appears that no garbage will be collected. The sum of $4000 was voted at town meeting last March for the work.

Lt. Milton S. Blanchard, principal of the junior high school, will return soon after three years in the Navy. He has most recently been serving as station training officer at the Naval Air station in Oahu, Hawaii,

Punchard is a slight favorite over Ipswich in the game scheduled for Saturday at the Playstead. Both teams were beaten by Danvers, but the local team made a better showing than the Ipswich team did. Reading defeated the Blue Devils, 26-6, last Saturday.

Phillips academy lost to the Yale B team, 20-19, Saturday.

There will be a chicken pie supper at the West Parish church Nov. 7. Mrs. William Trow is general chairman of the affair.

Douglas Hart will serve as president of the junior high school camera club, following elections held last week.

The Legion is beginning a drive to enroll every Andover resident who is a veteran of World War I or World War II. Arthur E. Steinert has been named membership chairman by Commander Carl W. Stevens.

Mrs. Byron Smith is membership chairman of the Andover P.T.A., which recently began its membership drive for the year.

Selective Service Board 3 has been designated as an information center for returning veterans, under the Retraining and Reemployment administration.

The Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge held its installation Monday evening in Odd Fellows hall.

**PERSONAL**

Mrs. Bryant Stackpole and son, Thomas, of Exeter, N.H. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green of Andover st., Sunday.

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# OBITUARIES

### IRVING BATCHELLER

Irving Batcheller, 495 Park st., Hartford, Conn., died Oct. 15 at his home after a long illness. He was the husband of the late Bessie (Crockett) Batcheller, Both were former residents of Andover.

A native of Wilmington, he was born in 1874 and resided in Andover for about 40 years. He was employed as a driver for the American Express company.

He leaves a son Harold and a daughter Isabella Batcheller, both of Hartford, Conn.; and several grandchildren.

Burial took place Tuesday in Springfield.

### MRS. BERT BEARDSLEY

Mrs. Bert Beardsley, 50, 49 Sheridan st., Lynn, the former Leona French, died Sunday at her home. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. French, former residents of Andover.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Arlene Hahn and Mrs. Meridyn Martin; three sisters, Mrs. Grace Gribbin of Lynn, Mrs. Florence Stahle of Malden and Mrs. Gertrude Scoyne of Malden; three brothers, Edward J. French of West Peabody, Howard French of Medford and John French of Malden; also two grandsons.

The funeral was held from the Goodrich Funeral home, Lynn, with services at 1 o'clock, Wednesday.

### GEORGE H. WOODBURY

George H. Woodbury, 66, 18 Summer st., died Oct. 14 in the Lawrence General hospital after a long illness.

A native of Beverly, he had resided in Andover for the past 15 years and was formerly employed by the T. W. Gardiner Shoe firm in Lawrence. He was a member of the Andover Baptist church.

Surviving is a daughter, Dorothy L., wife of Edward Parthum Sr. of Lawrence.

The funeral was held Monday from the Lundgren funeral home, with services at 2:30 o'clock conducted by the Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., pastor of the Andover Baptist church. Burial was in Central cemetery, Beverly.

### THOMAS F. MORRISSEY

Thomas Francis Morrissey, 31 Ashland ave., Methuen, 45, a former Andover resident, died Oct. 15 in St. John's hospital, Lowell, after a long illness.

Born in Andover, he was the son of Thomas F. Morrissey of Andover, and the late Martha (Goodwin) Morrissey. He was a structural iron worker and was employed by a number of contractors throughout this area.

Surviving, besides his father, are his widow, Mrs. Lucinda (Leibold) Morrissey, formerly of Lowell; three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Hatfield of Lawrence; Miss Joan T. Morrissey and Miss Maureen Morrissey, both of Methuen; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Alec Campbell of Andover and Miss Mary Morrissey of Washington, D.C.; five brothers, Walter J. of Methuen, James of California, William S. and Edward J. of Andover and Richard T., USN, stationed at Norfolk, Va.; and a number of nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the Morse Funeral home, Lowell, with a high Mass of requiem at 10 o'clock in St. Monica's church, Methuen. Burial was in the Immaculate Conception cemetery, Lawrence.

The bearers were Francis J., John M., Walter E., Richard and Walter J. Morrissey Jr. and Joseph L. Touma.


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# Markey Named Advisor To Vets

Francis P. Markey, Veterans' Service agent, has been designated by Secretary James P. Mitchell of the U.S. Department of Labor as a volunteer reemployment rights adviser, to assist ex-servicemen in securing their rights under the Universal Military Training and Service act, it was announced this week.

As a reemployment rights adviser, Mr. Markey will cooperate with the program of the department's Bureau of Veterans' Reemployment Rights to assist ex-servicemen who wish to return to their preservice employers. He will also advise employer, labor, veteran, and other interested groups of the reemployment laws and where necessary, will refer problems requiring technical assistance to the Bureau's field office, located at 18 Oliver st., Boston.

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Planning their annual fund-raising campaign recently were these members of the League of Women Voters, as the membership assembled at the Andover Country club for a luncheon meeting and speaker. Left to right, seated, are Mrs. Joseph Edmonds, Mrs. R. M. Cole, Mrs. William Washburn and Mrs. James Wilson. Standing are Mrs. Robert Zollner, Mrs. Edward Flint, Mrs. John Forbes and Mrs. Stephen Parson. (Look Photo)

## PLAN PARTIES ON HALLOWEEN

*(Continued from Page One)*

there were many private parties scheduled and other youngsters could attend the one in Central district.

The various committees will serve, in addition to the cookies, some 1470 lollipops, 1470 ice creams, and 1120 bottles of tonic. They'll use 1250 paper cups but only 500 straws.

Other youngsters will get up to 100 dozen doughnuts and 31 gallons of cider.

**3 Parades Planned**

The parties will be preceeded by parades in West Parish, Ballardvale and Central. In the center of town, starting time is 6:30, with all paraders asked to be on hand at 6:15. The All-Girl band will lead the parade from the corner of Elm and High streets to the auditorium.

Parade times have not yet been announced in the other two areas.

**Up For Grabs**

When the parades are over, all sections will offer entertainment for the small youngsters. In Ballardvale, No. District and Central, huge goldfish bowls will be filled with shiny, new pennies. Preschool youngsters in costume, followed by the first through third graders, will have a chance to keep as many of the pennies as they can hold in one fist.

**Central Entertainment**

At the Central celebration, Val Ellia, a clown formerly with one of the leading circuses, will entertain. He'll provide a puppet show and magic for the small tots.

**Dance Later**

Later in the evening, there will be a junior-senior dance at the auditorium, with Chet Harnden furnishing the music.

There will be refreshments for these older folks too.

The parties will be held in the Ballardvale Community rooms, No. District Improvement association hall, West Parish school hall and in the Memorial auditorium.

**Affair Costs $500**

The recreation committee has announced that some $500 is needed for expenses, with many donations making up the deficit between that figure and a town appropriation of $300. Each group runs its own party, asking for the refreshments it needs and money for prizes and entertainment where needed.

## POOR PARTRIDGE PERISHED PAINFULLY

**Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd. was mighty surprised to hear glass flying around her living room Monday morning, as she was working in another part of the house.**

**After the shock wore off, she found splinters of glass all over the room and a dead partridge.**

**Seems the bird came flying out of the rain, smack into the window. Maybe he saw his own shadow and thought he had a fight on his hands, or maybe the rain was too much for him as it was for everyone else.**

# Youngsters Will Collect For Needy Halloween Afternoon

Youngsters from four Andover churches will again be collecting money for the United Nations Children's fund when they call at homes on Halloween.

The "Trick or Treat" boys and girls with orange and black badges will ask their neighbors for contributions between four and six that afternoon, under the sponsorship of the Andover Council of Churchwomen.

The fund supplies needy children throughout the world with needed supplies of many types.

Children participating will include those in the Baptist church Sunday school. Miss Beulah Dennison, primary department superintendent and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, superintendent of the junior department, will assist them.

Others include the Young Peoples' fellowship of Christ church, under Gale Barton, Thomas Stirling, Elsie Kellog and Kitty Sides and West Parish Sunday school, supervised by the Rev. E. Clayton Burgess and Mrs. William Stewart. The South church Sunday school is taking part in the program for the third year.

Mrs. John C. Brown is general chairman.

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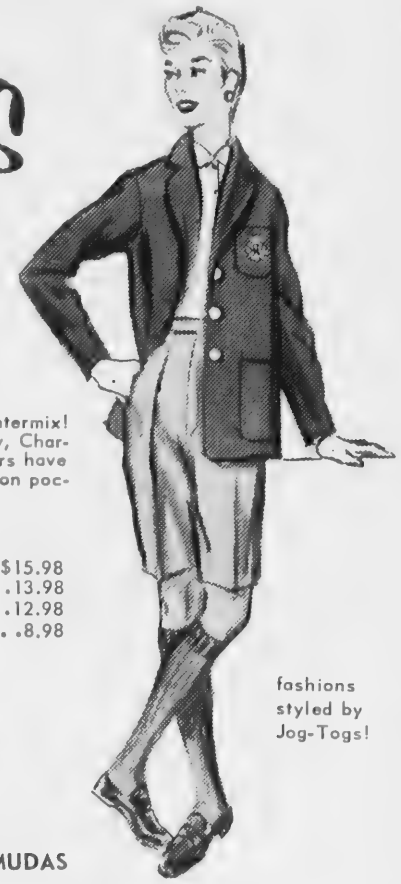

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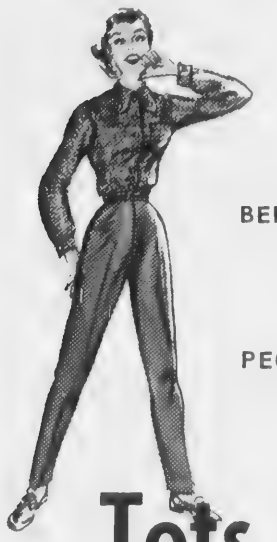

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**Service Club Chairm**

Miss Barbara Brook ter of Mr. and Mrs. J over, 49 School st., is chairman of the Servi this year.

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**Committee Membersh**

Barbara has been a the Punchard high All- and Punchard orchest years.

She has many inte than music. In her j she was community ser man for the service cl ber of the Junior Red a staff member of the newspaper. She is also of the National Honor Student Council.

**Busy Socially**

Barbara's social acti are many. She was a pr tee member in her juni usher for many of th activities that the sch during that year.

**Sports Minded**

Barbara has played part in intermurial spor her junior and senior y a member of the Varsit was captain of the gi ball team last year.

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**P.T.S.A. Meeting**

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**Attention Class of "**

Year book supplemen picked up at Marcia house. The price for plements was included book price.

**NEW BOOKS**

The following books cently been added to Smith library in Punch trude Lawrence as Mr drich; The Betty Betz Cook Book; Beyond Blair; Teen-Age Glam bent; Common Edible M Christensen; Joyce J Guide to Dating; U.N; Ten Years, Eichelbe

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# PUNCHARD HIGH

By CAROL DESROCHER

MISS BARBARA BROOKOVER

**Service Club Chairman**

Miss Barbara Brookover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brookover, 49 School st., is the general chairman of the Service club for this year.

She was born in Downingtown, Pa., and came here from Ohio at the beginning of her sophomore year.

**Committee Membership**

Barbara has been a member of the Punchard high All-Girl's band and Punchard orchestra for two years.

She has many interests other than music. In her junior year, she was community service chairman for the service club, a member of the Junior Red Cross, and a staff member of the Punchard newspaper. She is also a member of the National Honor society and Student Council.

**Busy Socially**

Barbara's social activities also are many. She was a prom committee member in her junior year and usher for many of the different activities that the school put on during that year.

**Sports Minded**

Barbara has played an active part in intermurial sports while in her junior and senior year. She is a member of the Varsity club and was captain of the girls basketball team last year.

**Further Education**

For further education, Barbara is planning to attend either Pembroke or Middlebury colleges.

**P.T.S.A. Meeting**

A meeting of the Parent Teachers Student association will be held Wednesday night, Oct. 26. The members of this association hope that there will be a large student turnout. After all, the only way this organization can help us is to know what our viewpoints are on the different subjects. Please go if you can possibly make it.

**Attention Class of "55"**

Year book supplements may be picked up at Marcia Tangney's house. The price for these supplements was included in the year book price.

**NEW BOOKS**

The following books have recently been added to the Goldsmith library in Punchard: Gertrude Lawrence as Mrs. A, Aldrich; The Betty Betz Teen-age Cook Book; Beyond Courage, Blair; Teen-Age Glamor, Broadbent; Common Edible Mushrooms, Christensen; Joyce Jackson's Guide to Dating; U.N; the First Ten Years, Eichelberger; Hot Rod, Felsen; American College Counsellor and Guide, Fine; Rookie Coach, Fulton; A Picnic for Judy, Hall; Diane's New Love, Neadley; News is a Singular Thing, Higgins; Tales of the African Frontier, Hunter; Pori Tupu, Koenig; Building Your Life, Landis; Gift from the Sea, Lindbergh; Onions in the Stew, McDonald; A Man called Peter, Marshall; The Mammal Guide, Palmer; All About Language, Pei, Sunshine and Shadow, Pickford; Wonders of the Human Body, Ravielli; I'll Cry Tomorrow, Roth; Bonjour Tristesse, Sagan; Pre-historic Animals, Scheele; Cues for Careers, Scott; It's Time You Knew, Shultz; Your Best Foot Forward, Stratton; Adventure in Store, Swift; Scientific Instruments You Can Make by Davis; Science Exhibits, Davis.

**DRUSCILLA FLATHER FIRE CHIEF AT SCHOOL**

Miss Druscilla Flather, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Flather Jr., 45 Abbot st., has been elected fire chief at Katherine Gibbs school. She also was elected chairman of the social committee of her class.

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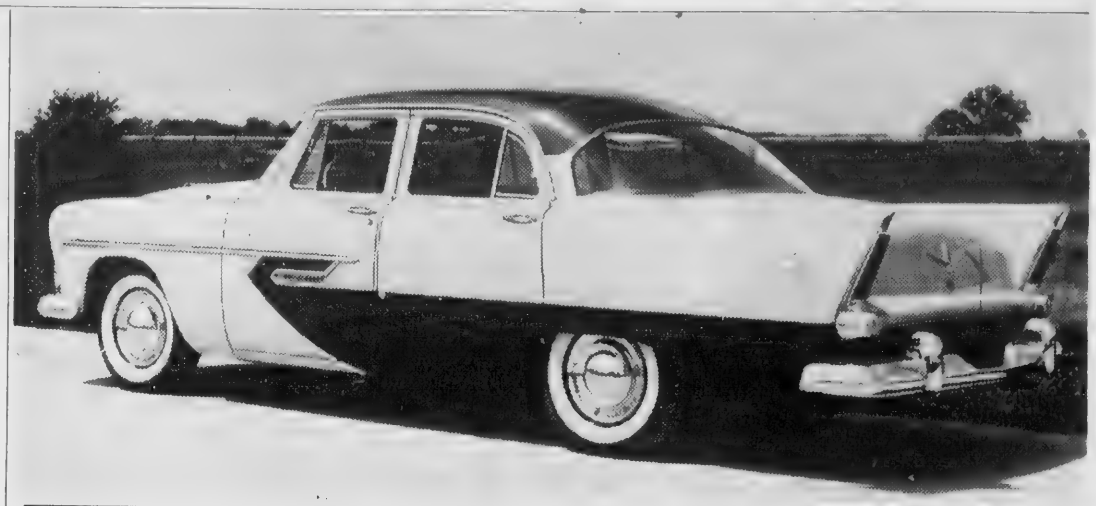

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# AT THE CHURCHES

### West Parish Church
REV. HUGH B. PENNEY, Pastor

SATURDAY: 8:30 a.m. Workday for Christ paper drive by the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship. 10 a.m. Basketball practice for youth from ten to eighteen in West Elementary gymnasium. 1 p.m. Hobby Show and Tea in the Vestry. The public is invited.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. All Girl Choir rehearsal. 9:45 a.m. Senior choir rehearsal. Classes for grade six, Junior High and High school. 10:30 a.m. Family Service of Worship. Special music will include an anthem by the All Girl Choir entitled "Father, In Thy Mysterious Presence Kneeling" by Pretheroe. The sermon, "Can You Look At Yourself", will be the first in a series based on "Solving Your Life's Problems". 3 p.m. Andover Youth Council Meeting. 3:30 p.m. Andover Association Meeting at the Free Church. 7 p.m. United Youth Worship Service. 7:15 p.m. Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship meeting under Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Burgess. Mr. Lindsey March will speak to the Senior High Group on "Education and Vocation".

MONDAY: 8 p.m. Every member canvass meeting. 8 p.m. Third teacher training session. Dr. Olivia Pearl Stokes of the Massachusetts Council of Churches will speak on "How the Bible can help young people".

TUESDAY: 3 to 5 p.m. "At home" in the parsonage. 7 p.m. Young peoples ping pong club. 8 p.m. Men's Ping Pong Club.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. All Girl Choir rehearsal. 8 p.m. Senior Choir Rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Decoration Committee meeting for Couples Club. 8 p.m. Parish meeting in the Church to establish budget goal for 1956.

### Ballardvale United Church
Rev. Ralph A. Rosenblad, Pastor

FRIDAY: 2:30 p.m. Meeting of the officers of the Intermediate Youth Fellowship at the parsonage.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Morning Worship in the sanctuary Sermon: "Stewardship — A Holy Habit" 4 p.m. Junior Youth Fellowship. 5:30 p.m. Intermediate Youth Fellowship with Pat Butler leading the worship. 7 p.m. Senior Youth Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

### St. Joseph's Church
(Ballardvale)

SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m. Confessions are heard before Mass.

### South Church
REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS Pastor

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Cub Scout meeting at Christ Church Parish House. 7:30 p.m. Troop 73, Boy Scouts meeting at Central Gymnasium.

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Children's Service at South Church. 9:45 a.m. Senior department of the Church School at Graham House. 10:30 a.m. Kindergarten classes at Mondale home, 49 Summer st. 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship at South Church. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship meeting. 3 p.m. at the Free Christian Church: Andover Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers. Supper at 6 p.m. Evening Service at 7 p.m.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Ping Pong Club meeting at West Parish Church.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. All day sewing meeting of the Friendly Service Group at Alumni House on Phillips st.

### St. Augustine's Church
REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

SATURDAY: Confessions 4 to 5:30 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10:15 and 11:30 a.m. Benediction after last Mass.

### Andover Baptist Church
REV. ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school graded classes with Christ-centered lessons. 10:15 a.m. Carillons and chimes from the church steeple. Accept their invitation to attend church. 10:45 a.m. Morning service of worship with the message by the pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr. on the subject, "The Big M In Missions". Mrs. Ralph I. Gilbreath, church organist. The adult choir will sing under Mrs. H. Allison Morse, director. Everyone welcome. Nursery for the preschool and grades one thru three under adult supervision. 6:30 p.m. Baptist youth fellowship, home of Alan Loundsbury, Gould rd. Benjamin Thompson, leader.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Monthly worship conferences, two classes for church school teachers and those interested. Miss Ann McConnell will teach the class, "Evangelism In the Church Schools"; "Our Children and Evangelism" will be taught by the Pastor.

WEDNESDAY: 6:50 a.m. Mr. Nelson will conduct Morning Devotions on radio station.

THURSDAY: 6:50 a.m. Mr. Nelson will conduct Morning Devotions on radio station. 7:30 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal in the church parlor.

NOTES: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, annual meetings Massachusetts Baptist convention in First Baptist church, Haverhill. The local Baptist church will be represented.

### Free Church
Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Th.D.
Pastor

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 72.

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Senior Church school Classes. 10 a.m. Primary Church School Classes and the Nursery Class. 10 a.m. Morning Worship. 11:15 a.m. Margaret Slattery class. 6 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship Meeting.

MONDAY: 1:15 p.m. Released time Religious Education Classes.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Margaret Slattery Class business meeting. 8 p.m. Music Committee meeting.

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. World Community Day Service at Christ Church. 7 p.m. Explorer Post 72.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Sewing Circle. 3:10 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal. 6:15 p.m. Choir of Youth rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

### Christ Church
REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:15 a.m. Sunday School (Upper school) 11 a.m. Sunday School (Lower school) 11 a.m. Morning service and sermon. 5 p.m. Young people's fellowship.

MONDAY: 1:15 p.m. Weekday religious education. 7:30 p.m. Friendly guild.

TUESDAY: 10:30 a.m. Women's auxiliary, Merrimack Valley Branch (St. Paul's, North Andover.)

THURSDAY: 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

FRIDAY (October 28) St. Simon and St. Judis Day. 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

### The North Parish Church
(Unitarian) — North Andover
REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal. 7 p.m. Boy Scouts.

SATURDAY: 10 a.m. Chuck Wagon.

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Kindergarten and Church School. 10:50 a.m. Morning Service of Worship. 6 p.m. North Parish Youth.

TUESDAY: 6:30 p.m. Beginners dancing class. 7:30 p.m. Advanced dancing class.

THURSDAY: 8 p.m. Discussion group.

### Christian Science Society
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SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Probation after Death."

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### Cochran Chapel
REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister

SUNDAY: 11 a.m. Service of Worship. Speaker, The Rev. Herbert Gezork, President of the Andover-Newton Theological Seminary.

## Bids Received On Town Hall Offices

Bids on creating two offices in the old stage portion of the town hall were received by the selectmen Monday night.

The bids were taken under advisement, with none of the three bidders coming within the $8000 appropriated by town meeting for the work.

Low bidder was Alex Henderson at $12,999.58. He was followed by Frank Cairns at $14,724.88 and Philip Gaudet, $15,047.80.

Miss Peggy Danielson of Cutler rd. has returned from a visit with friends in White Plains, N.Y.

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## Cement Company Must Get Permit

The building permit of the Acme Concrete company for construction of a $5000 steel storage bin at the coal yards on Fletcher st. has been revoked by the selectmen.

The firm, with main offices in Stoneham, must now ask the board of appeals for permission to operate their business there.

The area is zoned for industry, so Building Inspector Ralph Coleman issued the permit for construction of the bin some weeks ago.

Residents of the area, however, complained to selectmen when the construction work began.

A hearing on the matter was held in the town hall two weeks ago, with residents of the street protesting the type of business to be conducted there. They claimed that trucks to be used by the company will run up to 30 tons and require 10-11 feet to pass on a street.

**Huge Trucks**

The residents' complaint centered around the inability of such trucks to pass along Fletcher st. if cars are parked on both sides of the road. They also told the board that dust, noise, hazards to the children and other factors were involved in the complaint.

A representative of the firm told the selectmen that his company waited 30 to 45 days from the time it received the building permit and that objections should have been raised then.

**No Other Choice**

Building Inspector Coleman said he had no other course than to grant the permit, because the area is zoned for industry and the proposed bin came within that zoning requirement.

The cement firm also informed the selectmen that little dust should result from operations there because cement would not be manufactured there.

**Board of Appeals**

Selectman Stafford Lindsay, secretary of the board, said the building code mentions the necessity of a firm obtaining a permit to operate as well as taking out the more usual building permit. Granting of such a permit comes within the scope of the board of appeals, to which the matter has now been referred.

Residents of Binney st. entered the picture this week, as they presented selectmen with a petition against the business. They claimed Binney st. should not be expected to carry such truck travel and that children use the street for sliding in the winter, a practice made hazardous if the trucks were operating.

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## BALLARDVALE

*(Continued from Page Four)*

Miss Annelia Kwoka of Rocky Hill, Conn.) last Saturday night. The couple received many lovely gifts. A buffet lunch was served by Mrs. Charles Milligan, Mrs. Rino Tacconi, Mrs. George Graichen and the hostess. The center piece of the table was a three tier wedding cake made by Mrs. Milligan.

Relatives and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Savoie of Lawrence, Mrs. Mildred Brown, Mrs. Fred Bolz and Mrs. James Holdman of North Billerica, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Henderson, Mrs. Catherine Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan, Donald and Joyce Milligan, Mrs. Margaret Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. William Henderson, Mrs. Elwyn Russell, Mrs. Hugh McGonigle, Mr. and Mrs. Rino Tacconi, Mr. and Mrs. George Graichen and daughter, Priscilla and Brenda Tuttle.

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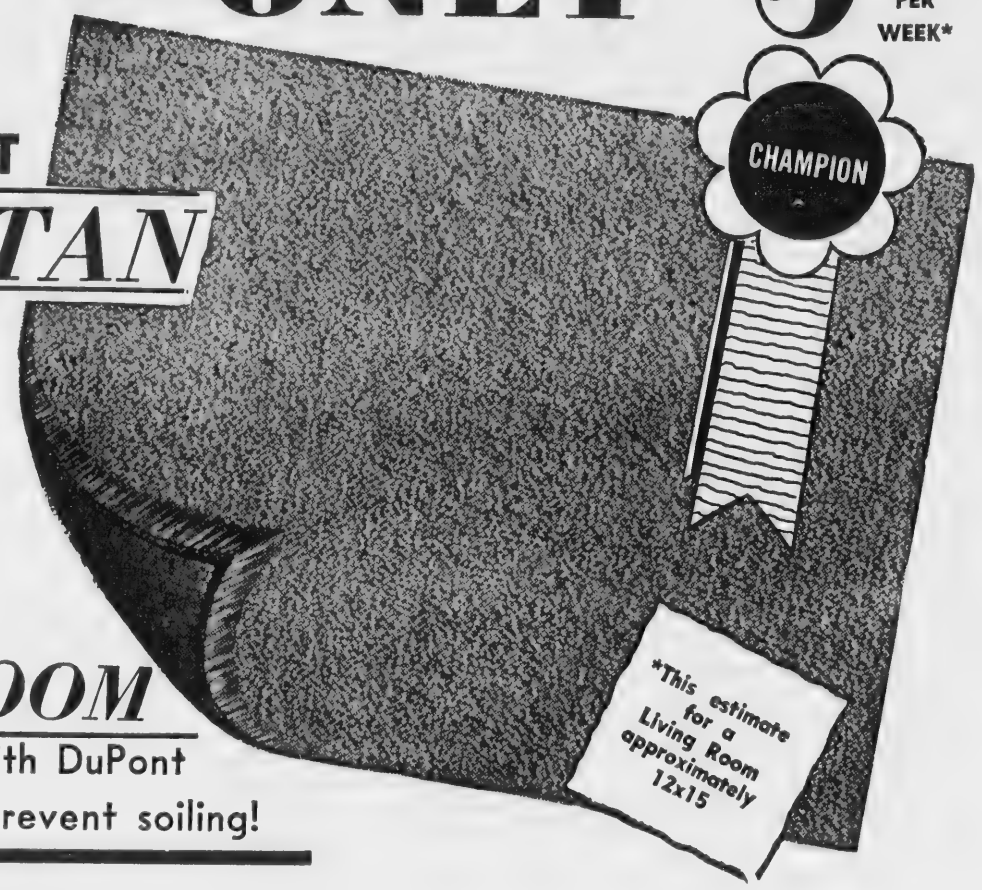


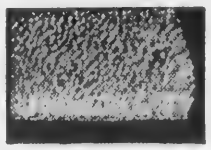
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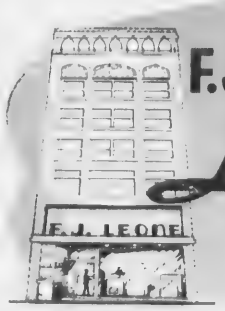


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# Weddings . . .

**YANCY — BURNETT**

Miss Rebecca Ann Burnett, daughter of Mrs. Lee Anna Burnett, 593½ Broadway, Lawrence, became the bride of John Edward Yancy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Yancy Sr. of Central st. at a 7 o'clock ceremony Oct. 1 in the Third Baptist church of Lawrence. The Rev. A. W. Jones Jr. officiated before an altar arranged with white gladioli. The soloist was Miss Laura Lambert of Lowell.

The bride, who was escorted to the altar by her uncle, John L. Bryant, wore a nylon chiffon gown with trim of buttons down the back of gown and sleeves, bouffant skirt ending in a cathedral length train. Her veil of illusion was attached to a cap adorned with pearls and she carried a bible with an orchid and streamers of white roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Arlene Preston of Lowell, sister of the bride, wore a gown of sky-blue nylon chiffon with matching hat and carried an old fashioned bouquet of pink carnations with blue streamers. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Ethel Yancy of Andover, sister of the bride; Miss Mary Edmunds and Miss Edwina Hope of Lowell. They wore gowns of nylon chiffon in colors of shrimp and deep blue with bodices adorned with pearls, head pieces of matching colors and carried old fashioned bouquets of blue flowers and pink streamers.

MRS. JOHN E. YANCY

The best man was Frederick R. Yancy Jr. of Boston, brother of the bridegroom and the ushers were John J. Lambert of Methuen and Francis Latham of Andover.

The bride's mother wore a cocktail-length gown of blue lace over pink taffeta, black picture hat, matching accessories and a red rose corsage.

The bridegroom's mother wore an evening gown of black chiffon with lace bodice, black velvet hat, matching accessories and a red rose corsage.

A reception followed in the church vestry with guests present from Boston, Haverhill and Lowell.

Following a trip to Connecticut, the couple will reside at 11 Circuit st., Roxbury.

The bride is a graduate of Lowell high school and a member of the Girl Officers alumnae. She is employed by a Boston firm.

The bridegroom is a veteran of the Korear war and is presently enrolled in the Massachusetts Radio and Television school in Boston.

**BUTT — MARKEY**

A reception in the Andover Country club followed the Oct. 1 marriage, in St. Augustine's church, of Miss Suzanne Marie Markey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Markey, 48 Chestnut st., and John W. Butt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Butt, Old Concord rd., Belmont. The Very Rev. Patrick P. J. Campbell, O.S.A., performed the 4 o'clock ceremony. White and colored chrysanthemums were arranged on the altar.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of taffeta and chantilly lace fashioned with sequin trimmed lace bodice and bouffant skirt with a lace panel. Her veil of illusion fell from a sequin trimmed crown and she carried a cascade of roses and ivy. Miss Barbara Hildebrandt of Lawrence, as maid of honor, wore hunter green crystallette in ballerina length. The bridesmaids, Miss Betty Butt of Belmont, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Joanne Ambery of Lawrence, wore burnt orange gowns. Miss Kathy Beer of Danvers, cousin of the bride, as flower girl, wore gold and carried a basket of fiji mums. All the attendants wore matching headpieces and carried fiji mums.

Ralph Butt of Belmont served as best man and the ushers were William O'Brien, John Heavy, James Kelley, all of Belmont and Philip F. Markey of Andover.

Following a wedding trip the couple will reside in Syracuse, N.Y.

The bride was graduated from Punchard high school and the bridegroom is a graduate of Belmont high school. He served with the Marines.

**FOSTER — MURPHY**

At a 2 o'clock ceremony Oct. 2 in the Andover Inn, Miss Dorothy Jacqueline Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy, 5 Heather dr., became the bride of John Franklin Foster, son of Mrs. William P. Foster, 96 Central st. The Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr. officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a gown of ivory brocade in princess style. She wore a velvet pearl trimmed headpiece and carried a cascade of stephanotis centered with a white orchid. The maid of honor, Miss Barbara King of Andover, wore an ashes of roses satin gown with an ivy headpiece and carried pink carnations.

Arthur Hembough of Andover was best man.

A reception for the immediate family followed in the Inn.

The couple left on a wedding trip through northern New England. The new home will be at 96 Central st.

**WAKELEY — GARABEDIAN**

At a 4 o'clock ceremony in St. Monica's church, Methuen, Sept. 25, Miss Miriam Garabedian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garabedian, 114 Chandler rd., became the bride of John Wakeley Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Sicotte, 7 River pl., Methuen. The Rev. Francis H. Delaney officiated before an altar arranged with gladioli. Rose Graham was the soloist and Edward Walsh presided at the organ.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace and nylon tulle styled with fitted bodice, long pointed sleeves and full bouffant skirt. A seed pearl and irridescent trimmed crown held her fingertip veil of illusion and she carried a white prayer book marked with an orchid and streamers of stephanotis.

The maid of honor was Miss Geraldine Smith of Lawrence. Margo Albee of Andover and Jacqueline Smith of Lawrence were the bridesmaids. They were gowned alike in red ballerina gowns of nylon tulle and carried pink gladioli with red centers. The bridesmaids wore pink crowns and shoes while the honor attendant wore red. The flower girls Miss Susan Paulinca of Lawrence and Charlene Garabedian of Salem wore pink gowns and carried colonial bouquets.

MRS. JOHN WAKELEY JR.

James Nutton of Lawrence was best man and the ushers were Richard Wakeley of Methuen and Eugene Wisenborn of Lawrence.

A reception in the Merrimack Valley Country club followed the ceremony, with many out of town guests attending.

The couple left on a wedding trip to New York and will reside in Dover, Del.

The bride is a graduate of Punchard high school and the bridegroom graduated from Searles high school. He is stationed with the Air Force at Dover.


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MRS. RICHARD N. SMILLIE
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MR. AND MRS. CARLETON RICHARD SMITH

**SMILLIE — BRENNAN**

A gown of imported Chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin, in princess style, was worn by Miss Barbara Ann Brennan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Brennan, 15 Clearwater rd., Brookline, when she became the bride on Oct. 8 in the Church of the Infant Jesus, Brookline, of Richard Nelson Smillie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Smillie, 4 Carmel rd.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father, where the Rev. Daniel Burke, solemnized the 10 o'clock ceremony.

The bridal attendants included Mary Theresa Reynolds of Brookline as matron of honor, Gloria Deltenzis of Needham and Megan Townsend of Brookline as bridesmaids. Their gowns were blue brocade in princess lines with matching hats and they carried arrangements of American beauty roses.

John M. Smillie of New York city served as best man and the ushers included John J. Brennan Jr. of West Roxbury, Dana Hastings of Boston, Frank Skinner of New York and Frank English of Haverhill.

A reception in Lord Fox, Foxboro, followed the ceremony with many out of town guests present. After a wedding trip to the southern states the couple will reside in Randolph.

The bride was graduated from the Academy of Notre Dame and Framingham State Teachers college. The bridegroom was graduated from Boston college and Harvard Business school. He served as a first lieutenant in the Korean war.

**TANNER — FORRY**

The Rev. Joseph I. Collins of Cambridge, officiated at the marriage of his cousin, Miss Mary Flavia Forry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Francis Forry, 16 Vera st., Dorchester, when she became the bride of John Vincent Tanner, son of Ivan A. Tanner, Boston rd. St. Gregory's church, Dorchester, was the scene of the 10 o'clock ceremony, Oct. 15.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a princess style gown of Chantilly lace over satin with fitted bodice and bouffant skirt ending in a sweep train. She carried white orchids.

Miss Eleanor T. Forry of Dorchester was her sister's maid of honor and the bridesmaids included Mrs. John J. Forry Jr. of South Boston, sister-in-law of the bride; Miss Rosemary Murphy of Waban, cousin of the bride; and Miss Rosemary McTigue of Dorchester. They were gowned alike in orchid crystallette trimmed with purple velvet. The honor attendant carried French tailsman roses and the bridesmaids French yellow roses with purple velvet streamers.

Walter J. Finley Jr. of Arlington was the best man and the ushers were John F. Forry Jr. of South Boston, brother of the bride; William Tanner of Andover and Peter Connolly of Arlington.

A reception at the Country Fare, Hingham, followed the ceremony.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Canada after which they will reside in Andover.

**SMITH — DAVIS**

Miss Dixie Carol Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Davis of Arlington, Cal., became the bride of Carleton Richard Smith, son of Mrs. Doris A. Smith of Lawrence, formerly of Andover, at a candlelight ceremony recently, in the Arlington Avenue Baptist church, Arlington, Cal. The Rev. J. Coleman Turner, pastor, officiated.

The bride chose a gown of Chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin styled with molded bodice, long tapered sleeves, Queen Anne collar and bouffant skirt. A Juliet cap studded with pearls held her veil of imported illusion and she carried an orchid centered arrangement of white carnations.

The maid of honor, Barbara Shomph, wore a gown of pink crystalette with matching hat and slippers and carried a spray of pink gladioli. The bridesmaids, Betty Jeanne Davis, sister of the bride, and Shirley Duncan, a cousin, wore aqua crystalette with matching accessories and carried pink flowers.

Dianne Davis, another sister, and Dianne Bartz as acolytes also wore aqua crystalette. The flower girl, Mary Ann Maloney, wore a floor length white taffeta dress and carried a basket of rose petals.

Airman, first class, Vernon Wyllie was best man, and the ushers were Glenn Davis, brother of the bride, and Staff Sergeant William Jones.

A reception followed in the church dining room.

After a wedding trip to Arizona, the couple will reside at 4016 Chestnut st., Arlington, Cal.

The bride was graduated from Polytechnic high school and is employed in the office of an Arlington public accountant. The bridegroom was graduated from West Coast university in Oakland, Cal., and is now stationed at March Air Force Base, Cal., as an airman first class.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Lillis of Wolcott ave. have returned from a trip through Vermont.

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## At The Library

**COMING EVENTS**

Bible display continued until the end of the week.

Oct. 24-30, United Nations Week display.

Oct. 24, 4 p.m. First movie program for Ballardvale children.

Oct. 25, 3:35 p.m. First movie program in Andover library.

Oct. 25, 7:45 p.m. Great Books Discussion Group meets.

Edwin E. Leidich, president of the Andover Lions, makes the first purchase of electric light bulbs from Sight Conservation committee Chairman John M. Birdsall Jr. Proceeds from the sale will go partially to the fund for eye research.

# YOUR GOVERNMENT

**Board Of Public Works**

Engineer Ralph Preble to check request of Miss Miriam Carpenter, living on private way off Chestnut st., for permission to enter Chestnut st. drainage pipe at private expense. She complained of "a big puddle" that settles in front of her house.

Jerry Dwyer asked board to consider Greenwood rd. water extension. Agreed to make application to board for consideration in 1956. Explained that his new homes on Greenwood rd. will need water, although temporary service can be gained by piping across lots from North st.

Moody Johnson, 175 No. Main st., told the board,a tree, formerly considered on his land, actually is only 15 inches on private property with the rest on town land. Asked the board to do something about taking it down before it falls down. Mr. Preble was directed to investigate.

Some landowners around Haggett's pond will receive requests from the board to name a selling price for their land. Purchase being considered as part of protection for town water supply.

Gave permission to George Dufton to extend sewer main on Chestnut st. at his own expense in order to connect a new house. Extension will only be between 20-50 feet. Town will refinish street surface at Dufton's expense.

**Selectmen's Business**

At Monday night's meeting, selectmen heard complaints from John Abercrombie and Joseph Campopiano of water damage on Hidden rd. Questioned board about town meeting vote on drainage there. Referred to board of public works.

Residents of Sutherland st. talked about septic tank overflows in the neighborhood. Were referred to BPW and health board.

PTSA invited selectmen to next meeting Oct. 26. Board will be represented there.

**PAPER DRIVE THIS SUNDAY BY CATHOLIC CLUB**

The Andover Catholic club will hold its paper drive this Sunday, starting at 1 p.m.

All streets in the town, including Shawsheen and Ballardvale, will be covered by the paper committee. They have asked that all paper be left near the street. Funds from the paper sale go toward the club's charitable works.

## Lions Seek Funds For Eye Research

Andover Lions, 38-strong, will sell electric light bulbs door-to-door Sunday afternoon from 2-5.

They will be seeking money for the Massachusetts Eye Research fund, supported throughout the state by some 7000 Lions.

The drive for funds through the light bulb sale was started Oct. 17 at the regular Lions meeting at Andover Inn.

In conjunction with the door-to-door sale of bulbs at regular retail prices, the Lions club has announced that bags of bulbs may be purchased at Macartney's and at the Coffee Mill, both Friday and Saturday of this week.

Edwin E. Leidich, president of the Lions club, has explained that one-half the proceeds will go to the Massachusetts research fund while half will remain in Andover for another project to be announced later.

## May Charge For New Water Service

The possibility that new water connections may have to be paid for by the homeowner was raised at the board of public works meeting Oct. 13.

Chairman Sidney P. White asked the board members to "think about" charging for the town work in connecting new services.

He pointed out that 200 new services in a year would cost the town about $10,000 - at $50 per connection.

He suggested that either a flat fee or a pro-rated figure might be established to underwrite the cost of new services.

Engineer Ralph Preble told the board that some 40 percent of Essex county towns now do not charge for services while others have worked out some manner in which the homeowner can pay an adequate fee for the work.

Mr. White explained that, with the use of about $10 or $12 worth of water a year, it takes a number of years before the house service pays for the cost of installation.

**PERSONAL**

Mrs. Samuel Moore of River st. is confined to her home by illness.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 249,254
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of SADIE AGNES LYLE late of Andover in said County, Essex deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that GEORGE H. LYLE of Andover in said County Essex be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of October 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
From the office of
Richard K. Gordon, Esq.
3 Main Street
Andover, Mass. 13-20-27

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 249,224
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of RUTH E. SAUNDERS, otherwise known as RUTH ELEANOR SAUNDERS and RUTH SAUNDERS late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that HELEN S. YOUNG of Springfield in the County of Hampden be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Haverhill before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of October 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
Anna M. Greeley, Atty.
21 Main Street
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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 249106
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANNIE G. BREDBURY late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that FRAYNE BREDBURY of North Andover in said County or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Haverhill before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of October 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
From the Office of
ARNOLD H. SALISBURY
316 Essex Street
Lawrence, Massachusetts 6-13-20

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 236,244
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of EDITH M. GODFREY late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The first and final account of the executor of the will of said deceased and the first and final account of the administratrix with the will annexed of the estate not already administered, have been presented to said Court for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Haverhill before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of October 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
6-13-20

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
LAND COURT

To the Town of Andover, a municipal corporation located in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; EUGENE M. MERCIER and ALEXANDRIAN MERCIER, of said Andover; BOSTON AND MAIN RAILROAD COMPANY, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; SARAH E. WILDER, formerly of said Andover, her heirs, devisees or legal representatives; FANNY ROBERTS, now or formerly of Peterborough, in the State of New Hampshire, her heirs, devisees or legal representatives; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by GUY B. HOWE, JR., of said Andover, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Andover, bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by School Street 26.24 feet; Southeasterly and Easterly by Lupine Road 193.72 feet and 64.90 feet respectively; Southerly by land now or formerly of EUGENE M. and ALEXANDRIAN MERCIER 57.47 feet; Northwesterly and Westerly by land now or formerly of GUY B. HOWE, JR., 203.25 feet and 75.02 feet respectively.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lawrence in the County of Essex where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the thirty-first day of October next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of October in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
SYBIL H. HOLMES
(Seal) Recorder.
Atty. Harold Morley Jr.
Bay State Bldg.
Lawrence, Mass. 6-13-20

**Town of Andover**
**Public Hearing**

A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, October 27, 1955 to act upon the petition of GEORGE CAIRNS to remove loam for sale from his development west of Cornell Avenue and Shawsheen Heights.

Board of Appeals
JAMES S. EASTHAM, Chairman

**Town of Andover**
**Public Hearing**

A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 7:15 p.m., Thursday, October 27, 1955 to act upon the petition of SARKIS KRIKORIAN to remove sand and gravel from the property of ELIZABETH KRIKORIAN between High Plain Rd. and Greenwood Rd.

Board of Appeals
JAMES S. EASTHAM, Chairman

## UNITED FUND REACHES $25,560

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under the direction of Red Cross executive Secretary Barbara Loomer began Tuesday morning.

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**HALLOWEEN PARTY**

The annual Halloween costume party of the Margaret Slattery class will be held at 7:30, Oct. 25 in the Free church. All women of the church are cordially invited. For transportation call Mrs. Robert Greenwood, 1631-R.

The Y-Teen rummage sale held recently in Ballardvale's United church was a success. Some of the hard working folks are, left to right, Mrs. Leo Pimpare, Miss Janet Bouleau, Miss Prudy Pimpare and Margarette Bouleau (Look Photo)

## Rhoads Elected Chairman Of Development Com.

William W. Rhoads was elected chairman of the industrial development committee at its first meeting Monday night in town hall.

Secretary of the committee will be David Thompson.

The five-man committee met to organize and discuss the problems it will seek to solve in the months ahead. Offering assistance to the group was Elmer E. Young, field representative of the state department of commerce.

The committee met with both the board of selectmen and the planning board during the evening for brief get-acquainted discussions on industrial problems facing the town.

At the planning board session, the committee was offered office space with the planning board. Members also suggested that the committee might well concern itself with possible industrial sites within the town, making recommendations for rezoning such areas as soon as possible.

It was agreed that the planning board, development committee, Consultant Nord Davis and Engineer Clinton Goodwin should meet soon to go over work done on the town's master plan.

## Raymond Schlapp Will Seek Office Of Clerk Of Courts

Raymond W. Schlapp, former state representative for this district and present assistant clerk of superior court, has announced that he will be a candidate for the clerk of courts position in the 1956 elections.

A resident of Methuen, Atty. Schlapp will seek the office left by the death of Archie N. Frost of Frost of this town. The election will fill the office until 1958, the unexpired term of Mr. Frost.

Mr. Schlapp served in the Massachusetts House, but interrupted his term to serve in the Navy during World War II. His wife, Mrs. Alyce Schlapp, replaced him in the legislature.

## Tammany Attending State Police School

William F. Tammany, 15 Brechin terr., a patrolman in the local police department, is attending a month-long state police school in Framingham. He began duties there Oct. 10, according to Chief David Nicoll, and will have a full schedule of classes and drill during the month's training.

The town meeting voted to send one officer to the school this year, the chief explained. He pointed out that there is a lot of value in having the men get the training and hopes it will be possible for others to attend the school during the coming years.

### NAMED COUNCILOR

S. Perry Congdon II was elected a councilor at the 126th annual convention of the Essex County Teachers' association, which met in Boston recently. Mr. Congdon is an English teacher at Punchard.

### NEW SCHOOL IS SOUGHT FOR VALE

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ning board this week temporarily called a halt to sub-divisions. Members of the planning board pointed out that the halt is temporary, until the master plan is received and rezoning can be requested at town meeting.

There was considerable discussion about a site in that area, with the planning board proposing a section between Elm st. and Westwind rd. recommended by Engineer Clinton Goodwin and Consultant Nord Davis. The school committee, having often mentioned the Carmel woods area in the past, discussed the difference in the two sites. Both are in the same general area.

Mr. Goodwin said the site he suggested could be purchased and developed for less money than the town-owned Carmel woods could be made suitable for a school and required playing area.

Mr. Kiernan of the Perley F. Gilbert associates, which surveyed the Carmel woods area for the school committee, said Carmel woods could be used without extensive site development — utilizing the ledge there as a base for the building rather than taking it out, a recognized expensive project.

Member Albert Cole suggested that, despite the discussion over sites, it seemed to be agreed that a new school in that immediate area would be necessary. Most of those present agreed that population growth in the area indicate that necessity within a few years.

All members of the planning board and school committee were present, as were William Mackintosh, Atty. Charles G. Hatch and Harold Rutter Jr., members of the finance committee and town engineer Ralph Preble.


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